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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director (Intelligence) *dh-*

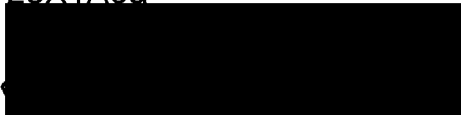
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SUBJECT: George Kennan's Comments on OCI Soviet Staff.

1. In a brief chat I had with Mr. Kennan just before his departure yesterday he expressed some views about the work of the boys in OCI which may not have been made known to you, but which I am sure will be of interest.

2. He said that the concepts and techniques of the OCI team in attacking the Soviet problem were producing results beyond anything that had been accomplished by any Western government, and that during his visit he felt he had learned far more from them than they had been able to learn from him.

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